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This is a petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.313(c)(2) for withdrawal from issue. Applicants respectfully request that the above-referenced application be withdrawn from issue. In accompanying documents, Applicant has filed a Request For Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 for consideration of an information disclosure statement.

A Fee Authorization including an authorization is enclosed for the petition fee and the request for continued examination fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account Number 50-1505/5659-06500/EBM.

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